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THE NATIONAL GAME.

The Bangors Shut Out the Champions at Home.

Great Feat Accomplished by Magnificent Work of Wheeler and Team.

Brockton Won Twice From Portland and Augusta Lost to New Bedford.

[Special Despatch to Whig and Courier.]

Fall River, Aug. 20. Bangor whitewashed Fall River today and put up a magnificent game. Wheeler was very effective while Fall River gave Bristow poor support at times. Attendance, 600.

Bangors.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Radford, ss	4	1	1	1	1	3	1
Simon, lf	3	2	1	1	1	0	0
Sharrott, rf	5	3	1	4	1	0	0
Henry, cf	6	0	3	4	2	0	0
O'Brien, 1b	5	0	1	1	10	0	0
Roach, c	5	0	0	0	3	0	0
Cavanaugh, 3b	4	0	1	1	4	0	0
Moore, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	2	0
Wheeler, p	4	1	2	3	1	3	0
Totals	39	7	10	15	27	8	1

Fall Rivers.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	T.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
McDermott, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	2	1
Fitzmaurice, cf	3	0	1	1	0	1	0
Ladd, lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
Lippert, rf	4	0	1	2	2	0	0
Rupert, c	4	0	1	1	4	0	1
Slater, 1b	4	0	0	0	14	1	0
Reilly, ss	3	0	0	0	1	3	2
Lyons, 3b	3	0	1	2	2	6	2
Bristow, p	3	0	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	32	0	4	6	27	16	7

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Bangors	0	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	—7
Fall Rivers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Earned runs, Bangor 2. Home run, Sharrott. Three-base hit, Henry. Two-base hits, Wheeler, Lippert, Lyons. Sacrifice hit, Simon. Stolen bases, Sharrott, Cavanaugh. First base on balls, by Wheeler, Fitzmaurice; by Bristow, Radford, Simon. First base on errors, Fall River 1; Bangor 4. Struck out, by Wheeler, Bristow; by Bristow, Henry, O'Brien. Umpire, Hunt. Time, 1h. 40m.

New England League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Games played.	Per ct. won.
Fall River	56	31	87	.641
Bangor	54	31	85	.635
Brockton	52	37	89	.584
New Bedford	45	40	85	.529
Pawtucket	44	45	89	.494
Augusta	34	52	86	.395
Portland	31	55	86	.360
Lewiston	29	53	82	.354

At Brockton—First game—Brockton, 11; Portland, 4.

Second game—Brockton, 11; Portland, 0. Seven innings.

At New Bedford—New Bedford, 8; Augusta, 7.

National League.

At Baltimore—First game, Baltimore 3; St. Louis, 5; second game, Baltimore, 8; St. Louis, 1.

At New York—New York, 9; Chicago, 5.

At Philadelphia—First game, Philadelphia, 2; Louisville, 6; second game, Philadelphia, 4; Louisville, 3.

At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 11; Pittsburg, 8.

At Washington—Washington, 0; Cleveland, 2.

RECORD-BREAKING DAY.

Some Fine Contests at Rigby Park on Thursday.

Portland, Me., Aug. 20. A crowd of 15,000 saw the races at Rigby Park this afternoon. It was a record breaking day. Tomorow if the weather is favorable Joe Patchen will again go to beat his record of 2.04 and against the world's record of 2 03¾. The summaries:

2.15 STAKE, TROTTING, PURSE $1,000.

Benton Mich b, (Houghton)	1	1	1
Yankee Lack, b g	2	2	2
King Albert, br h	4	3	4
Strock, b g	7	4	3
Vega, bl h	5	7	5
Germaine, b h	9	6	6
Quartermarch, br h	6	9	7
Black Nathan, bl b	8	8	9
Orange Louder, br h	10	10	10
Dixie, b g	dis		

Time, 2.12¾, 2.11, 2.13.

2.41 STAKE, PACE, PURSE $1,000.

Refina, g m (Berry)	1	6	2	1	1
Red Silk, b m (Tyson)	2	1	1	2	6
Lady Leavitt, br m	4	2	3	7	2
Beresford, bl c	7	5	5	4	3
Hal Almont, r h	3	3	7	3	5
Nordica, br m	8	4	4	5	
Abram S., g g	6	7	6	6	4
Blue Bell Clay, b m	dis				

Time, 2.11¾, 2.10¼, 2.12, 2.13¾, 2.15¼.

2.19 STAKE, TROTTING, PURSE $1,000.

Katie Mack, b m (Walker)	1	1	1
Burgese, b c	2	2	3
Forrester, g g	3	3	2
Pullman, b g	5	4	4
Gordon Cummings, b h	4	5	5
Copeland, br g	5	7	6
Winnie L., ch m	7	6	dr

Time, 2.18¾, 2.14½, 2.18.

STRUCK BY CLOUD BURST.

Terrible Destruction and Loss of Life Caused.

St. Louis, Aug. 20. A special from Mogollon, New Mexico, says that city and Graham were struck by a cloud burst, which left death and destruction behind it.

RYAN WON

In the 20 Round Glove Contest.

Buffalo, Aug. 20. Ryan was awarded the decision over Moore in the 20 round glove contest to-night.

OF COURSE HE WON'T.

Arthur Sewall Says He Won't Withdraw.

Bath, Me., Aug. 20. Regarding the rumor in New York that Arthur Sewall has withdrawn, the Times is authorized to say the rumor is without foundation.

SEWALL ODIOUS TO THEM.

Kentucky Populists will Make No Concessions.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 20. At a meeting of the Populist State executive committee last night a committee was appointed to convey greeting to the Democrats and ask them to withdraw Sewall. They were instructed to state that the Populists intend to stand by Watson and that Sewall was odious to them and that they will make no concession.

WARMER

And Generally Fair.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Washington, Aug. 20, 8 P. M.

Indications:

Forecast for Friday: For New England, warmer, generally fair weather, possibly local showers in Maine; southwesterly winds.

Local Forecast.

Boston, Aug. 20. Local forecast for Friday, fair, southwest winds.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by Ara Warren, Druggist.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill St., South Gardner, Mass., was told by the doctors. His son had Lung trouble, following Typhoid Malaria, and he spent three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who [illegible]

SOUND MONEY DEMOCRATS.

The Work of the Convention at Portland Thursday.

Presidential Electors and Delegates to Indianapolis Chosen.

Mr. Shepard, of Boston, and Col. Fellows Address the Meeting.

Portland, Me., Aug. 20. In the sound money Democratic convention this afternoon the following electors at large were chosen: Weston Thompson, Brunswick, Erastus L. Simon, Thomaston. 1st district, L. D. M. Swett, Portland; 2nd district, M. P. Milliken, Richmond; 3rd district, L. B. Deasy, Bar Harbor; 4th district, Charles L. Snow, Bangor.

The following delegates to Indianapolis were chosen: C. Vey Holman, Thomaston; W. H. Clifford, Portland; Giles O. Bailey, Portland; S. G. Foss, Auburn; Russell D. Woodman, Westbrook; D. P. Milliken, Richmond; Edward C. Jordan, Portland; John Harwood, Bowdoinham; R. E. Person, Geo. H. Weeks, Damariscotta; Josiah Chase, York; Wm. H. Gardiner, Camden.

The alternates were as follows: F. W. Blanchard, Bath; John H. Belcher, Freeport; R. H. Nott, Saco; J. S. True, Intervale; E. E. Coombs, Lisbon Falls; Wm. H. Stevens, Portland; G. S. H. McDowell, Lewiston; S. G. Otis, Hallowell; A. F. Moulton, Scarboro; J. F. Gerrity, Bangor; Bion Wilson, Portland; Nathan Clifford, Portland.

Hon. Harvey N. Shepard, of Boston, was then introduced and spoke for upwards of one hour.

Col. John R. Fellows, of New York, then delivered an elequent address.

At the close he arraigned in severe terms the Altgelds, Tillmans and others who come to this country to assail its fabric, seeking to undermine its standing and pushing it along to ruin. At the close of Col. Fellows' address the band played and the audience dispersed.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Gold Reserve.

Washington Aug. 20. The treasury gold reserve declined today to $103,932,711.

The day's withdrawals were $129,700 and for the month to date the aggregate is $7,750,000.

WILL NOT FUSE.

Texas Democrats Refuse Populist Request.

Fort Worth, Texas, Aug. 20. For nearly two hours last night the Democratic State convention was in a row over the proposition of the Populists for seven of the fifteen electors for Vice-President.

At midnight the convention declined the Populist request for division of electors on any terms for President or Vice-President.

LEADING DEMOCRATS

Of Kentucky Repudiate Chicago Platform.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 20. The sound money Democratic State convention today was attended by nearly every leading Democrat in the State.

The delegates to Indianapolis were instructed to vote for ex-Governor Buckner for Vice President.

Ex-Governor Buckner made a stirring speech, repudiating the convention at Chicago, the platform and candidates as un-Democratic, declaring Bryan to be a Populist and Sewall a subsidized shipbuilder and high protectionist.

AROOSTOOK AWAKE.

Enthusiastic Republicans are Addressed by Senator Frye.

[Special Despatch to Whig and Courier.]

Presque Isle, Aug. 20. Senator Frye addressed an immense audience at Limestone last evening, many coming from distant towns to hear the distinguished speaker, who delivered one of the ablest speeches ever listened to.

The meeting at Caribou on Tuesday evening numbered at least fifteen hundred. The crowd was so great that the meeting was held in the public square.

Senator Frye's speeches are profitable. This is a Republican year for Aroostook.

M'INTYRE BOLTS.

Argus Man Can't Endorse Democratic Nominees.

Portland, Aug. 20. The associate editor of the Argus, P. W. McIntyre, has relinquished his place on that paper, not finding himself able to support the men named at Chicago nor the platform upon which they were nominated.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20. Money steady, 6@4; last loan, 3; closing, 3.

Prime Mercantile paper 0@6½.

Bar Silver, 66½@00.

Mexican Dollars, 51½@10.

Sterling Exchange—steady; 4.84½@4.84½ for 60 day bills; 4.85½@4.85¾ demand.

Posted rates, 4.85@4.86½.

Commercial bills, 4.83½@4.84.

Government bonds firm.

Railroad bonds easier.

Silver at the board dull.

BONDS.

[illegible] reg.	105 @00	Erie Seconds	57
[illegible] Coun	106 @00	Kan. Pac. Consols	68
U. S. 4s	113	Oregon Nav 1sts	105
Central Pacific 1sts	00	Union Firsts	99
Den. & Rio. G. 1sts	1 9	No. Pac. con 5s	41½

STOCKS.

Atchison	10½	North western	93½
Adams Express	135	preferred	144½
American Express	105	N. Y. Central	92
Boston & Maine	165	N. Y. Chic. & St. L.	10
Central Pacific	13	preferred	61½
Ches. & Ohio	12½	N. Y. & N. E.	20
Chicago & Alton	149	Old Colony	000
" preferred	170	Ont. & Westn	12½
Chic. Bur. & Quincy	59½	Pacific Mail	18½
Del. Hudson	117	Pullman Palace	141
Del. Lack	146	Reading	7¾
Den. & Rio Grande	10½	Rock Island	54
Erie	12	St. Paul	64
preferred	27	preferred	120
Ills. Central	86½	St. Paul & Omaha	34
Lake Erie & Westn	14	preferred	000
Lake Shore	140	St. Paul Min. & Man	103
Louisville & Nash.	30	Sugar	103¾
Maine Central	000	Texas Pacific	5¾
Mexican Central	7	Union Pacific	5¾
Mich. Cent.	87	U. S. Express	30
Minn. & St. L.	12½	Wabash, St. L. & Pac.	5¾
preferred	59	preferred	12¾
Mo. Pacific	16	Western Union	78½
N. J. Central	93½		
Northern Pacific	8½		
preferred	16		

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20. FLOUR—receipts 51990 pkgs; exports 13615 bbls; 4225 sacks; sales 8600; easy; quiet. Winter wheat, low grades, 1.70@2.00; fair to fancy, 2.40@[illegible]; patents, [illegible]; Minnesota clear, [illegible] [illegible]

SOUTHERN FLOUR—dull; steady. Common, fair extras 2.00@2.60; good to choice do, 2.60@[illegible].

RYE FLOUR—quiet; steady; 2.40@2.90.

CORN MEAL—dull; steady. Yellow western, [illegible]

RYE—dull; easy.

BARLEY—quiet; steady.

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PROSPECTS IMPROVING.

Encouraging Reports for Republicans to Read.

McKinley to Receive a Large Pennsylvania Delegation Saturday.

Making Good Progress in Work on His Letter of Acceptance.

Canton, O., Aug. 20. Major McKinley worked on the last proof sheets of his letter of acceptance most of the day. The letter will contain several thousand words and will be very explicit on the money question, but the tariff will not be neglected.

Over 15,000 people of Ellwood and Newcastle, Pa., are to call upon Major McKinley Saturday. This will be the largest delegation that has visited Canton.

Major McKinley had a talk to-day with T. J. Morgan, who was commissioner of Indian affairs under the Harrison administration. Morgan is travelling a good deal and asserts that the Republican prospects are improving.

SAUGUS RACES.

Some Good Contests on Thursday.

Saugus, Mass., Aug. 20. The third day of racing at Franklin Park was an ideal one.

The 2.28 pace Mase won; Harry C, second; Storys Clay, third. Best time, 2.18¼.

The 2.19 trot Brown Jim won; Rodney J, second; Vida, third. Best time, 2.19¼.

AMUSEMENTS.

Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown."

Laura Biggar and Burt Haverly will present Charles Hoyt's merriest comedy "A Trip to Chinatown," at the Opera House next Monday and Tuesday nights. No great strength is claimed for the story, the main idea being to introduce a number of character sketches and up-to-date episodes. The skit has enjoyed a phenominal run in New York of 700 nights, and comes to this city puffed up with pardonable pride. "A Trip to Chinatown" is a clever musical conceit, and satirizes popular themes and characters of the day, introduces pretty songs, attractive girls and clever comedians, affording an evening's entertainment in which there is hardly a break in the laughing. The piece will be produced in exactly the same manner as at Hoyt's Theatre, New York, with a great cast, including Laura Biggar, Burt Haverly, R. C. Chamberlain, Harry Rosster, J. Donaghey, Jno. P. Brown, Benj. Leiller, Jeanette Lilford, Passie M. Lester, Isabelle Chamberlain and Maud Myring. The musical numbers are all new and up-to-date.

Lewis Morrison—"Faust."

Mr. Lewis Morrison will present his famous scenic and dramatic version of "Faust" at the Opera House next Wednesday night.

Mr. Morrison is an actor of established merit. He has a voice which without labor or affectation is both commanding and penetrating and a personality that takes on the wardrobe and make-up of "Mephisto" in a way that makes him ideal. His impersonation adheres closely to Goethe's familiar and very interesting story but his treatment of the part is excellent. Satan as represented by him is a smooth-faced, plausible person, who mixes with mortal mankind with a cheerful abandon that makes the character easy to comprehend; the lines in Mr. Morrison's version are bright and sparkling and his rendition of them is delightfully sardonic. He is, in short as engaging a devil as one could wish to see. The scenery and mechanical effects are exceedingly strong. Electricity plays a prominent part in the production. It is eminently spectacular but at the same time notable for superior dramatic and artistic worth. It is sensational only where sensational is perfectly legitimate in conjunction with his satanic majesty.

Norombega Theatre.

The subject of hypnotism is an extremely interesting one and people will be attracted by the announcement that the famous hypnotist, Sylvain A. Lee, will begin Monday evening an entertainment of a week in this city at The Norombega. Hypnotism is an unknown science to most of us, yet it is taught today in all the leading universities of the world, and the education of no physician or dentist is considered complete without it. With its assistance physicians are now enabled to perform the most difficult and trying surgical operations without the least pain to the patient. The entertainments promise to be of peculiar interest and extremely amusing, as a number of well known citizens are expected to go upon the stage as subjects.

Municipal Court.

In the Municipal Court yesterday Mrs. Celeste Varney, of North Hermon, was tried, the warrant sworn out by Charles Varney, her brother-in-law, for assault and battery. Varney claimed that the woman had set her dog on to him while he was gathering apples from an orchard which he claimed to be his. It appeared that his orchard was formerly the property of Mrs. Varney's husband who died last February, but that at his death it passed into the hands of Charles Varney and others of the estate of his father, according to the will. The widow thought she could gather the fruit there this year as usual, and when Charles Varney went to gather it she set her dog on him. The animal would have bitten the man if he hadn't defended himself with a basket and finally his mistress called him off.

Varney chased the dog into Mrs. Varney's shed, and finding an old axe, he would have killed the animal if he could have reached him, as he admitted in court.

H. H. Patten, Esq., appeared for the plaintiff, and Forest J. Martin represented Mrs. Varney, the respondent. It was proven that Mrs. Varney had no right on the land occupied by the orchard and she was sentenced to pay the costs, which amounted to $12.83. A number of Hermon people appeared in court as witnesses. Mrs. Varney appealed.

John B. Travis, of Springfield, was tried for selling mortgaged personal property and was sentenced to 3 months in jail. According to the charge he had mortgaged his cows to a man and afterwards bought some horses of M. Willey & Son, of this city, giving them a mortgage on the same cows, already mortgaged for as much as they were worth, at least.

Willey & Son allege that he did not pay for the horses [illegible] [illegible]

ENTHUSIASTIC RALLY

Of Dexter Republicans to Open the Campaign—A Fine Meeting.

Our Dexter correspondent writes: The Republicans of Dexter opened the campaign with one of the very best meetings ever held in Town Hall, Wednesday evening. When the hour of opening arrived the hall was packed to its fullest seating capacity and many were obliged to stand. Early in the evening people began to pour in the village by teams and on the cars and everything augured for a finely successful meeting. The speaker, Hon. C. A. Boutelle, arrived on the 3 p. m. train and was met at the depot and driven around town for a time by the Town Committee, enjoying the splendid views from the heights of what is justly termed the very most beautiful of Penobscot villages.

The Corinna Cornet Band furnished music and gave an open air concert on the lawn in front of the Library Building in the early evening, which was enjoyed by everybody.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Waldron of the town committee, who called Mr. Plummer, also of the committee, to preside. After a few remarks by Mr. Plummer he introduced Congressman Boutelle, who was received with an ovation worthy his sterling manhood and which shows plainly the high esteem in which he is held by the people of Dexter and vicinity.

Mr. Boutelle spoke earnestly for nearly two hours and held his large audience to the closest attention. He reviewed the career of the two parties, the history of the Democratic party, its isms and failures, and took the position that the tariff is the main issue and that rightly settled will settle the money or silver question.

All who heard him heartily agree with him that the masking of the Democrats behind the silver craze is simply an effort to get rid of the tariff question and avoid, if possible, answering to the country for the disastrous effects of their four years of blunders. It has not been the lot of our people to listen to a more terse, clear cut, able and eloquent presentation of the issues of a campaign for years, than that which Mr. Boutelle gave us, and we agree with him that the presence of the young men, formerly Democrats, now in our Young Republican Club, and in such goodly numbers, augurs well that the thinking and reading people are comprehending as never before, that the great object of the leaders of the Democratic party is to fool the people.

The object lessons of the last few years surely have not been lost on our people and with four of our five woolen mills shut down the Demo-Populist party find it hard and up-hill work indeed to hide the record of disasters and past promises broken, under new promises of untried schemes. As a young Democrat pertinently put the question to another: "They lied to us four years ago and what assurance have we that they are not up to the same trick again? In business you trust the man who tells you truth. The Republican party has always done what it promised and the country prospered and it is time to apply business principles to politics and vote for a party you can trust."

Quite a number of young men heretofore acting with the Democrats have joined the Young Men's Republican Club and sat on the stage at the meeting Wednesday night. More are coming and unless our sarsaparilla friend from Belfast hurries up he will find when he comes here that he will need a new medicine to stem the tide of revolt against dishonor and repudiation.

Our meeting closed with three cheers for the speaker, three for McKinley and Hobart, three for the clean sweep we will have in September and three for the young Republicans who have left the Democrats to join our party, all heartily given. The band discoursed fine music and the large audience dispersed with the feeling universally expressed that it was one of the best speeches and meetings ever heard and held in Dexter.

Dexter will be heard from in September.

Cycle Briefs.

The brake is bound to grow in favor. Circumstances during the last few weeks force this conclusion upon the students of the cycle trade. Accidents, several fatal ones among the number, have occurred in the East lately and it has been shown that in each case a brake, had there been one attached, could doubtless have averted the fatality. It now apparently remains for a really clever device to be placed upon the market for it to score a great success. A good brake is really wanted. The cyclists realize it and each day they are becoming more and more convinced of its necessity. An expert rider has said:

"If brakes were in universal use the number of accidents would be decreased nearly 50 per cent. Even the dreaded and universally condemned scorcher would not be so terrifying if he had a brake on his wheel. It would be of decided benefit even on level places, where a stop could be made quickly. No one needs to be told that it would be a decided advantage on hills. The novice, above all others, should not attempt to ride in a hilly country without a brake. The art of back pedaling is an accomplishment which should be acquired by all, but there are times when even that does not avail. The foot may slip at a critical moment, or any one of a dozen minor accidents happen which make it imperative that the speed of the wheel be checked at once. That cannot be done successfully and without risk of injuring the rider or the wheel without a brake, all assertions to the contrary notwithstanding."

The woman riders of the East have affected a pretty combination for the warm days. The hot and cumbersome leather and canvas leggins are not worn so generally as they were earlier in the year. The skirts have been lengthened slightly and ordinary stockings are worn. The women are also wearing a fetching shirt waist in pleasant colors with very wide sleeves. The effect is pretty. As they skim by with these sleeves fluttering in the wind they look not unlike gigantic butterflies.

New Advertisements.

The fire and water sale at Mr. W. H. Salley's clothing store attracts large crowds of purchasers and yesterday his store was well filled all day long.

Baled shavings for bedding for horses, for sale by Coombs & Banton Wood Co.

The Wood & Bishop Co. will [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] P. H. Vose & Co.'s [illegible]

City Solicitor Ryder Holds That the City

Has Already Exceeded Constitutional Debt Limitation

And that the Proposed Expenditures and Contracts are Illegal.

The Contractors Have No Legal Claim Against the City.

Mayor Vetoed Order Calling for Opinion of City Solicitor

But the Order Was Passed Over Veto by Both Boards.

Order for an Appropriation of $142,000 Was Defeated.

Full Text of the Very Able Opinion Drawn by Mr. Ryder.

Mayor Beal is resourceful in preparing surprises for the people of Bangor, and we doubt if he ever gave them a greater surprise, or at least those who were assembled in the Aldermen's room last evening, when he asked City Clerk Brett if he had any communication for the board, whereupon the Clerk began to read a message vetoing the order passed at the previous meeting calling for the opinion of the City Solicitor concerning the legal standing of the city toward the extension of the water works.

As was announced in THE WHIG Thursday morning a special meeting of the City Government was called for last evening. As soon as the two boards had been called to order the Mayor sent a request to the Council for a joint convention.

The two boards met in the Council room and were addressed by the Mayor who spoke substantially as follows: A very unpleasant duty devolves upon me on account of the attack upon the city by a few prominent citizens. Leaving their motive to be judged by you I wish to make some recommendations and a statement. Ever since cities have been organized it has been necessary at times to overdraw appropriations. The city has been authorized to make temporary loans and there has been no question as to the legal right until this year. It is now urged that since the city is in excess of its 5 per cent. constitutional debt limit such loans are illegal. There is no relief except by supplementary tax or temporary loan.

I shall not attempt to state the losses in each department, or the delay and inconvenience to result from the stoppage of all work now, but will simply call attention to the funds of the city. Last year the Water Board was authorized to contract with the Cumberland Manufacturing Company for a filter plant to cost $30,000. No appropriation was made to pay for it. Last year plans were made for the extension of the water plant to give a sure supply of water in emergencies. The plans were matured after this City Government was organized and an order was passed for the Water Board to take such action as it deemed necessary. The Board contracted to the amount of $144,000, no appropriation being made for it.

When this City Government came in we found a debt of over $116,000. This we could have paid and gone on with the other improvements if we had received the same treatment accorded previous City Governments. But it was rule or ruin with a few men. My idea was to extend the debt over several years, but the Commercial and its friends have made it necessary to provide for the entire expense this year. Capital is sensitive and withdraws at the slightest alarm. This work is highly necessary and to perform our duty requires money. To stop the work means great loss. I recommend that the City Council appropriate $142,000 in addition to what has already been appropriated and that the Assessors put it into the taxes this year, letting the responsibility rest upon those who made this step necessary. The Mayor then read the following letter from the manager of the Cumberland Manufacturing Company:

Boston, August 18, 1896.

Honorable Board of Water Commissioners, Bangor, Me.:

Gentlemen: We beg to notify you that we have commenced the erection of the filters contracted for by you on February 26, 1896, and that in accordance with the terms of said contract the first payment, amounting to $7,747.33, becomes due and payable. We trust you will communicate with the treasurer of your city and have draft forwarded to us promptly, as we are counting on the receipt of this money at this time.

Yours very truly

Cumberland Manufacturing Company,

W. B. Nye, manager.

The Mayor said: I read this to show that it is only one of similar communications received.

Alderman Wescott—Does the $142,000 include the cost of the filter plant?

The Mayor—That is already provided for. The $142,000 includes the cost of the extension to the water plant, $2,000 for sewers and $2,000 for highways. Unless we have more funds for this improvement it will be impossible to clear the streets this coming winter.

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STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot ss. Court of Probate, July Term, A. D. 1896. Adjourned session, July 31, A. D. 1896.

Henry L. Stubbs named Executor in a certain instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Evelyn N. Stubbs, late of Bangor, in said County, deceased, having presented the same, together with a petition for the probate thereof,

Ordered, That said Executor give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this Order to be published three weeks successively in The Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in August next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed as the last Will and Testament of said deceased.

JAMES H. BURGESS, Judge.

Attest: AMOS E. HARDY, Register.

A true copy of the original.

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To all Persons interested in the Estates hereinafter named:

STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot ss. Court of Probate, July Term, A. D. 1896. Adjourned Session, August 1, A. D. 1896.

Upon the petition of Frances M. Holt, widow of EDWARD W. HOLT, late of Corinna, in said County, deceased, intestate, that the administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Isaac F. Clark, of said Corinna, or some other suitable person;

Upon the petition of Anna Elizabeth Thompson & al children of ESTHER J. THOMPSON, late of Dexter, in said County, deceased, intestate, that the administration of the estate of said deceased may be granted to Allen Mason, of said Dexter, or some other suitable person;

Ordered, That said petitioners give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this Order thereon, to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, [illegible] at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in August, A. D. [illegible] [illegible]

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For Vice President:
GARRET A. HOBART,
Of New Jersey.

For Governor:
LLEWELLYN POWERS,
OF HOULTON

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JOEL WILBUR, of Avon.
First District—EDWIN PARSONS.
Second District—A. R. NICKERSON.
Third District—FRED ATWOOD.
Fourth District—ALBERT H. SAWYER.

FOR CONGRESSMEN:
First District—THOMAS B. REED.
Second District—NELSON DINGLEY, Jr.
Third District—SETH L. MILLIKEN.
Fourth District—CHARLES A. BOUTELLE.

County Nominations.
Senators—William Engel.
Edgar B. Weeks.
Albert R. Day.
Sheriff—Charles R. Brown.
County Attorney—Bertram L. Smith.
Judge of Probate—James H. Burgess.
County Treasurer—Henry L. Stubbs.
County Commissioner—Lewis C. Whitten.
FOR REPRESENTATIVES TO THE LEGISLATURE.
ISAIAH K. STETSON.
CHARLES S. PEARL.
JOAB W. PALMER.

State Election, Monday, Sept. 14.

For Assignment of Speakers See Third Page.

Majority Rule.

Now that the controverted point concerning the legality of the two caucuses held in this city to nominate candidates for Representatives in the Legislature has been submitted to the Court and has been judicially decided in favor of Messrs. Stetson, Pearl and Palmer, who are declared by the Court to be the regular nominees of the Republican party, whose names must appear as such on the official ballot, it is but reasonable to expect every sincere Republican in the city to unite in an earnest effort to secure the election of said candidates.

The history of this question is entirely familiar to our readers. In response to a petition signed by more than six hundred of the representative Republican voters of Bangor, a majority of the Republican City Committee voted at a regular meeting to substitute ward primaries for the general caucus and issued a call to the Republican voters to assemble in the several wards to select delegates to a nominating convention. The minority of the committee assumed authority to call a general caucus. Both caucuses made nominations. THE WHIG in commenting upon the action of the committee the next morning said:

"The minority declined to recognize the will of the majority and prepared another call for a general caucus. This call was offered to THE WHIG after the legally signed call of the majority, signed by the chairman and secretary of the meeting, had been handed into this office for publication. Of course we could not accept the minority call. THE WHIG looks to the City Committee for these matters and publishes the caucus calls free of charge. The committee has full authority to determine the method, time and place of holding caucuses. This is not only a matter of precedent, but the authority of the committee is sustained by well known legal talent. On any division of opinion the majority of the committee, as in all other bodies, must determine the action of the committee. The majority of the committee in this case voted for the change and authorized the call which appears this morning. It therefore stands as a matter of course that it is the only call THE WHIG can recognize."

The Bangor News, which, when it announced its purpose of supporting the principles of the Republican party, in March, 1895, stated that it should "strive fairly and honorably to further the interests of the party of prosperity by heeding the wishes of the majority and abiding whatever personal preferences it may have, for the sake of harmony, unity and success," on the morning after the meeting of the City Committee said:

The News holds with the minority of the committee, but we believe, with the majority of the Republicans of Bangor, that the City Committee is not justified in making such a change in the manner of calling caucuses, unless they are asked to do so by the majority of the Republicans of the city, or so instructed by the majority vote in a Republican caucus duly called and conducted. We therefore denounce the action of the majority of the committee as unwarranted and unjust to the Republicans of Bangor, and urge all Republicans to attend the general caucus.

Again it said:

It has always been the custom for the Republicans of Bangor to nominate their candidates for the Legislature and for Mayor in general caucus, and until the majority of the party shall express a preference for some other system, the general caucus is the only form of meeting in which those candidates can properly be named.

It will thus be seen that the entire question turned upon the right of the City Committee to make a change in the caucus system. Up to this time it was a matter of opinion purely. THE WHIG held that it was clearly within the province of the committee to substitute the new system for the old, and that the minority of the committee could take no affirmative action in opposition to the expressed will of the majority. The News held that the committee had no right to change the system; that the action of the majority was an arbitrary usurpation of authority and therefore was not binding upon the minority. But now that question has been authoritatively decided by the Supreme Court of the State of Maine. Opinions of individuals must bow to the plain mandate of the law. Let us see what the Court says concerning the functions of the City Committee:

The city Republican committee, consisting of seven members, represented the Republican voters of the city.

They were [illegible] ... position.

They [illegible] with these powers by virtue of their office.

Whatever may have been the custom in past years as to the manner of calling caucuses, they had the power to determine not only the time and place [illegible]

[illegible] action by a minority only. The will of the voters was expressed at the caucus called by that part of the committee which constituted a majority of the members and by which the others were bound. The names of Stetson, Pearl and Palmer were therefore the ones selected at a caucus lawfully called, for if that were not a legal caucus then none has been held, for a minority could not certainly call a caucus that would be considered legal as against the will of the majority.

These names were duly certified to the Secretary of State and should be placed upon the official ballots.

No one can misunderstand this statement of law. It disposes of the entire argument against the action of the committee. The Court holds that the committee did not transcend its power in determining the method of holding the caucus, and that the decision of the majority bound the minority which could not legally act, and in fact did not legally act. Now that the question has been determined by the Court of last resort what is the attitude of the News toward the candidates of the Republican party which it was going to support by "heeding the wishes of the majority and abiding whatever personal preferences" it might have for the "sake of harmony, unity and success?" Does it heed the legal action of the majority of the City Committee, or bow to the mandate of the Court? On the contrary it declares that the opinion of the Court is entitled to "the greatest respect" and then immediately proceeds to treat it with contempt by keeping at the head of its columns as the regular nominees of the Republican party the names of three gentlemen whom the Court has declared have no legal claim to a place on the official ballot in the party group, and as a matter of fact will not appear on the ballot as candidates of the Republican party. It declares that the "position of names of general caucus nominees on the ticket will not affect their Republicanism, and they can be voted for with very little difficulty or inconvenience." In other words the News supports the bolting candidates for Representatives in place of the regular party nominees notwithstanding the fact that it has heretofore held that it was the duty of the individual to yield to the will of the majority. In declining to recognize the rule of the majority now that it has been clearly defined by the Court the News does just exactly what it insisted it would not do, namely, permit personal preferences to interfere with the unity and possible success of the party, so far as the Representative ticket is concerned.

McKinley's Forceful Truths.

Governor McKinley has a very terse way of stating great truths that appeal to the common sense of the people. In one of his speeches he summed up the issues of the campaign in the remark that the people first demand the right to earn a dollar, and then the right to be paid in a dollar worth one hundred cents anywhere and everywhere. In another speech he told the whole story when he said it was better to open up the mills of the United States to American labor than to open up the mints of the United States to the silver of the world. The opening up of the mills means a restoration of prosperity and the disappearance of the currency agitation. The opening up of the mints means still greater business demoralization and the complete degredation of American labor to the basis of the fifty cent dollar.

The policy of the Republican party is to open the mills and leave the currency of the country just as it is to-day, with both gold and silver in circulation, every dollar being worth one hundred cents. The policy of the Democratic-Populist combination is to keep the mills closed, destroy the stability of the currency by placing the country on a silver basis and drive gold out of circulation, thus decreasing instead of increasing the volume of money. Free coinage means just this and once the country is on a silver basis the dollar is bound to shrink in its purchasing power to the exact value of the bullion, or about fifty cents.

In a later speech Governor McKinley completely exposed the deception involved in the silver campaign in a few words. He said: "If free coinage of silver means a fifty-three cent dollar, then it is not an honest dollar. If free coinage means a one hundred cent dollar, equal to gold, as some of its advocates assert, we will not then have cheap dollars, but dollars just like those we now have and which will be as hard to get, in which case free coinage will not help the debtor, or make it easier for him to pay his debts." Candidate Bryan illustrated this double dealing with the voters in his New York speech. Turning his face in one direction Mr. Bryan held out the inducement to the debtor class that with free coinage it would be possible to pay his debts with fifty-three cents on the dollar. In other words the debtor could go on the market and buy his silver at the current rates, have it coined and pocket the difference. The Commercial held out the same inducement to the farmer who it said could sell 1,000 bushels of wheat in Liverpool for $500 in gold and make his $500 pay a thousand dollars' worth of debt.

After pointing out the advantages to be thus obtained by the debtor class, Mr. Bryan turned his face in the other direction and indignantly scouted the idea of cheap money, insisting that with the free coinage of silver the value of the bullion in the silver dollar would immediately increase the world over to the full value of the bullion in the gold dollar. Naturally Mr. Bryan furnished nothing in the way of argument to support this assertion, which is contrary to the financial history of the world, but our purpose at this time is to call attention to the inconsistency of the silver advocates. Mr. Bryan cannot ride these two horses at one and the same time as they are going in different directions. If the gold standard has imposed such hardship on debtors as he claims, how are they to be relieved by paying in silver when silver is raised to the gold standard? If prices are down because they are measured in gold instead of silver, how are they to be put up on being measured in silver if the silver dollar is to be the exact equal of the gold dollar? Neither of Mr. Bryan's propositions is true; but each contradicts and overthrows the other. They cannot be made to hang together, and they are destined to be hung separately in the popular judgment.

A Workingman to Bryan.

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Do you know that [illegible]

Do you know that since the Wilson law has been in effect thousands of mills have closed, and that the Republican party says that the closing of said mills was the direct effect of the Wilson law?

Do you know that when your party is thus charged with bringing great hardships upon the working man by the forcing of such a law upon the country your silence upon this subject is considered an acknowledgment upon your part of the justness of their charge?

Do you know that, in the dozen or more speeches which you have made since your nomination, you have failed to utter even as much as one word as to how the passage of a free coinage bill would stop the importation of foreign made goods?

Do you know of any way by which our mills can be opened so as to give us employment if foreign manufacturers can place their product upon our markets cheaper than our home manufacturers can do it?

Do you know of any way by which we can secure your much mooted "higher wages" unless we first secure some kind of employment?

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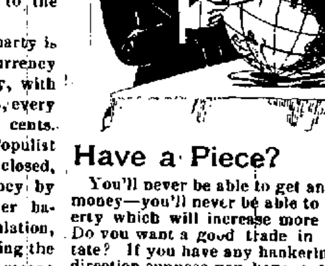

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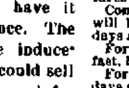

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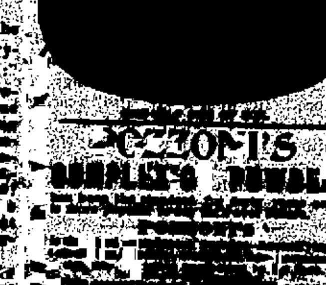

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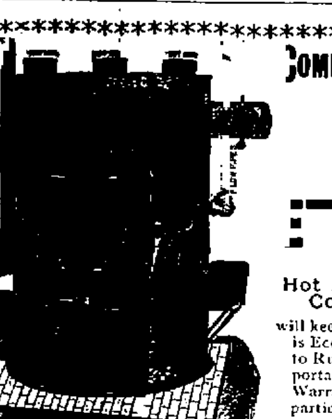

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STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot ss. August 15th, A. D. 1896.

This is to give notice that on the fifteenth day of August, A. D., 1896, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot against the estate of Horatio M. Sawyer, of Lagrange, in said County of Penobscot, and State of Maine, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor, on petition of said debtor, Horatio M. Sawyer, of Lagrange, in said County of Penobscot, which petition was filed on the fourteenth day of August, A. D. 1896, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed; that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency, to be held at the Probate Court room, in Bangor, in said County, on the tenth day of September, A. D., 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

GEO. S. CLARK, Deputy Sheriff,
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OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY
STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT ss. August [illegible], A. D. 1896.

This is to give Notice, That on the eleventh day of August, A. D. 1896, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot, against the estate of [illegible] of Howland, in said County [illegible] [illegible]

FOREIGN NEWS.

Funeral of President of Royal Academy, London.

Other Items of General Interest from Across the Water.

London, Aug. 20.—The funeral of Sir John Millais, president of the Royal Academy, who died on Aug. 13, took place in St. Paul cathedral today. The cortege started from the house at 10 o'clock. The coffin, covered with a crimson pall, was placed upon an open car drawn by four horses. The pall bearers were Lord Rosebery, the Earl of Carlisle, Gen. Lord Wolseley, the Marquis of Granby, Sir Henry Coring, Holman Hunt, R. A. and Phillip H. Calderon, R. A. When the procession reached the Burlington house it was joined by the members of the Royal Academy who marched to St. Paul's cathedral.

Most of the shops along the route were closed and the streets were lined with people. Hosts of spectators also gathered around the cathedral and within the edifice there was a vast crowd.

Canon Scott-Holland and a number of minor canons met the procession at the grand entrance of the cathedral. As the procession passed up the central aisle the services began, the choir singing Croft's funeral music.

Admiral of the fleet, Sir John E. Commerell, was present as the representative of the Queen and the Prince of Wales was represented by Sir Francis Knollys.

The wreaths sent to the house by friends were so numerous that two carloads of them were sent to the cathedral in advance of the funeral procession.

Attended by Many Yachtsmen.

London, Aug. 20.—Funeral services were held at Ryde this morning over the body of Baron Von Zeedtwitz, the German yachtsman, who was killed in the collision between his yacht, the Isolde, and the German Emperor's cutter Meteor, off South Sea on Tuesday.

There was a large attendance of yachtsmen and others in the church. The coffin was covered with wreaths and yachting flags. After the services the body was taken in charge by friends who started with it for Dresden where it will be interred.

England's Supply of Bullion.

London, Aug. 20.—1 p. m.—The bullion in the bank of England has increased 336,351 pounds during the past week. The proportion of the bank of England's reserve to liability which last week was 58.77 per cent is now 58.94 per cent.

Secretary Herbert Attends Funeral.

London, Aug. 20.—Hon. Hilary Herbert, United States secretary of the navy, who arrived here yesterday called at the United States embassy this morning, and afterwards attended the funeral of Sir John Millais in St. Paul's cathedral.

Irish Dynamiter Released.

London, Aug. 20.—John Daly, the Irish dynamiter, who has been serving a life sentence in Portland prison, was released today.

Daly arrived in London this evening. Although he is nominally at liberty, he is still attended by officers of Portland prison. Only a few of his friends were allowed to welcome him when he was released and the same course was taken in London when he arrived here, the object presumably being to prevent a demonstration. It is understood that Daly will go to Birmingham.

Yachts Will Stop Racing.

London, Aug. 20.—The Prince of Wales' yacht Britannica will cease racing for the remainder of the season and it is reported that the Meteor, Ailsa and Satanita will also retire. This action, it is understood, has been undertaken in consequence of the accident of Tuesday in which Baron Von Zeedtwitz was killed.

Dr. Nansen's Steamer Arrives Safely.

Christiana, Norway, Aug. 20.—Dr. Nansen's Arctic exploring steamer Fram has arrived safely at Skjervoe, a fishing post on the bay near North Cape. A dispatch from Skjervoe to the Aftenposten says that on August 14, the Fram called at Dane's Island, where a visit was made to M. Andree, the Swedish explorer, whose intention it is to attempt to find the North pole by means of a balloon. M. Andree had not yet made his ascension.

The Fram sailed from Skjervoe for Tromsoe today. All on board were well.

Shortly after receiving the news of the arrival of the Fram at Skjervoe and her intention to sail from that place at once for Tromsoe, Dr. Nansen started for the latter place to meet her. Before leaving Hammerfest, Dr. Nansen wired Captain Sverdrup, the commander of the Fram, as follows: "A thousand welcomes to you all, hurrah for the Fram."

Rebels Destroy Railroad Bridge.

Madrid, Aug. 20.—A despatch from Havana to the Imparcial, says that on Sunday a body of insurgents, under Maceo, set fire to and destroyed a railroad bridge and derailed a train, which was on its way to Pinar Del Rio.

The military escort of the train consisted of 150 men, who fought the rebels until reinforcements of Spanish troops arrived and drove the insurgents off.

It is estimated that Maceo's force numbered 5000 men. The loss of the rebels is not known, but the Spaniards had six men killed and 22 wounded.

CAN NOT ACCEPT.

Mr. Douglass Will Not Be Sound Candidate for Governor.

Brockton, Mass., Aug. 20. Hon. W. L. Douglass' paper, the Brockton Times, will this afternoon say editorially: "Numerous newspapers having stated that Hon. W. L. Douglass was to be the candidate of the sound money Democracy for Governor, and that belief having become general, it is the duty of the Times to contradict it. Mr. Douglass appreciates the honor, but business interests demand his undivided attention and he has so informed the sound money executive committee. Mr. Douglass is a thorough believer in the sound money movement and regrets exceedingly that he can not comply with the request of a large number of Democrats throughout the State to accept the nomination."

LONE HIGHWAYMAN.

Mine Owner Held Up and Relieved of $1,400.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 20. George McCauley, one of the prominent and wealthy mining men of this city and part owner of the Cariboo gold mine at Trail, B. C., was held up by a masked lone highwayman yesterday afternoon in the mountains a few miles from the mines and at the point of a rifle was compelled to hand over $1,400 in gold bricks the last month's output of the Cariboo, which he was bringing to this city. McCauley was then ordered to drive on.

DIDN'T LIKE THE FOOD.

Summer Hotel Waiters Go Out on Strike.

Lynn, Mass., Aug. 20. Eighteen of the help at Hotel Nahant, Lynn Beach, struck this morning. They were served a breakfast of a half dozen different dishes, among which were veal cutlets, and fried calves' liver and bacon. With the appearance of the liver they all objected and declared that they were not in the habit of eating liver and that they did not like the flavor of the cutlets. They made no demand for any change in the meat courses, but declared that they were through work.

KANSAS FOR McKINLEY.

Senator Baker Says he will Carry State by Good Majority.

Emporia, Kas., Aug. 20. In an interview with United States Senator Lucien Baker, who spoke here at a big Republican rally yesterday, he said: "The situation in Kansas is growing better every day. I find many Republicans who were dissatisfied after the St. Louis convention are getting back into line and we will surely elect the State ticket and carry the State for McKinley by a good majority."

Senator Baker thinks the effect of the sound money Democratic ticket will be to help McKinley.

HALF BREED LYNCHED.

Taken from Jail and Hanged to a Tree.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 20. [illegible]

A GREAT OVATION

Given Lord Chief Justice Russell at Saratoga.

Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 20. [illegible] ovation was ever paid to [illegible] Saratoga than that [illegible] Russell, Lord Chief Justice [illegible] when he entered the convention [illegible] morning to address the [illegible] Association. The [illegible] tonic. He was greeted [illegible] 4500 persons.

His lordship and Sir Frank [illegible] were escorted to the [illegible] Moorfield Storey of the [illegible] was exactly 10.30 [illegible] Storey introduced the distinguished [illegible]

He said: "I have [illegible] pleasure [illegible] no introduction [illegible] lawyer, but [illegible] Russell of Killowen [illegible] tice of England [illegible] annual address on [illegible] tion."

As Russell stepped [illegible] audience broke [illegible] tinued for [illegible] the delivery of [illegible] of an address [illegible] Russell spoke [illegible] with great [illegible] tion.

He stood easily [illegible] his hands [illegible] read his address [illegible] tones which was [illegible] by applause.

SOUND MONEY DEMOCRATS.

Leaders Much Encouraged [illegible] Outlook.

Indianapolis, [illegible] ers of the national [illegible] much encouraged [illegible] convention [illegible] tal despatch from [illegible] the McKinley [illegible] strongholds [illegible] convention [illegible] tee.

In answer to [illegible] York paper [illegible] proposition [illegible] Chairman of the [illegible] executive committee [illegible] vention that [illegible] Democratic [illegible] platform and [illegible] didates? The [illegible] ticket which [illegible] theory that [illegible] sound money [illegible] ticket is [illegible]

The fact [illegible] organization [illegible] represented [illegible] by that state [illegible] York indicate [illegible] of the [illegible] will give their [illegible] Charles S. Fairchild [illegible] communication [illegible] since they were [illegible] of the State Democratic [illegible] forward.

ON PORTLAND [illegible]

Roxbury Man Commits [illegible] Shooting.

Boston, Aug. 20. [illegible] son of Roxbury [illegible] Boston [illegible] eral railroad and [illegible] State street [illegible] ing and [illegible] night of the steamer [illegible] rived here [illegible] Mr. Anderson [illegible] Tuesday [illegible] known.

He was well known [illegible] in this city and [illegible] manager for the [illegible] for several years [illegible] Portland last night [illegible] his wife [illegible] this city.

She [illegible] passenger [illegible] vessel and [illegible] room. She [illegible] is said [illegible] suicide.

During Mr. Anderson's [illegible] Portland, it is reported [illegible] who had [illegible] private [illegible] son but it is not known [illegible] her had [illegible] was stated by Mr. [illegible] books of the company [illegible] tion and that Mr. Anderson [illegible] ate all right [illegible] the suicide. Mr. Anderson [illegible]

PACKERS AGITATED.

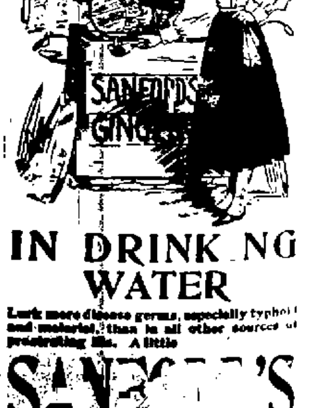
Over Sensational Reduction in Western Freight Rates.

Chicago, Aug. 20. Packers of provisions are [illegible] a sensational reduction [illegible] provisions and packing [illegible] The reduction applies [illegible] between the Missouri rivers and [illegible] the Mississippi river [illegible] make the reduced [illegible] port traffic only [illegible] the eastern seaboard points [illegible] the east bound rates [illegible] river. The new rate [illegible] the Missouri river [illegible] points is eight cents [illegible] while the rate heretofore [illegible] tween these points was [illegible] makes a cut of 10 cents [illegible] rate from the Missouri river [illegible] ern seaboard and gives [illegible] packers an [illegible] those at Chicago and [illegible] east of the Mississippi [illegible] from the Missouri to Chicago [illegible] and to this will have been [illegible] of 30 cents per 100 pounds [illegible] to New York. [illegible] through rate from the Missouri [illegible] New York is only three cents [illegible] the through rate from Chicago [illegible] York. The excuse for the [illegible] in the rates on provisions [illegible] roads have lately [illegible] on provisions from the Missouri [illegible] New Orleans and [illegible] have been doing [illegible] wheat for many months [illegible] rates lately made by the [illegible] resulted in the diversion [illegible] amount of provisions from [illegible] river to New Orleans and [illegible] This refutes the claim [illegible] that provisions and packing [illegible] ducts cannot be shipped via [illegible] during the hot summer months.

STILL ANOTHER.

Kentucky Wheelman Robbed Near Bridgeport.

Bridgeport, Conn., Aug. 20. [illegible] ing, a wheelman from Kentucky [illegible] tour of the east on a bicycle, was [illegible] bleeding and unconscious on the [illegible] bury Road late last night. He was resuscitated and stated he has been [illegible] up on the road by two men, who demanded his money. He tried to get away from them but could not. In the fight that followed he was roughly handled. The robbers took his gold watch and $63 in cash. The police are scouring the surrounding towns for the men.



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BREWER LOCALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Sawyer have returned from a short stay at North East Harbor.

Miss Flora Gilroy, of Stillwater, has been making a short visit with friends in the city.

Hon. H. F. Telft, Miss Laura Telft and Mrs. Charles Telft are making a short stay at Northport.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Prentiss went to Belfast on the City of Bangor yesterday for a visit with their son, Mr. H. M. Prentiss.

Mrs. Arthur Smith, of Carsons, W. I., is in the city visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Robinson, on Main street.

A game of base ball between the professional men and clerks in the city is being talked up and if it comes off it will be an exciting one.

Mrs. Bisbee B. Merrill and Mrs. F. W. Barker went to Foxcroft yesterday, called there by the illness of the former's mother, Mrs. Wyman.

Quite a number of Brewer people went to Bar Harbor on the excursion on the Maine Central railroad yesterday and enjoyed the day greatly.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hoxie, who have been visiting friends and relatives in this city and Orrington, left on the steamer City of Bangor yesterday afternoon for Boston.

Mrs. W. S. Smith and daughter Marion, of South Norwalk, Conn., who have been visiting friends and relatives in this city and Bangor, are in Hancock county visiting this week.

A party of Brewer people took a buckboard ride to Phillips Lake yesterday afternoon, remaining there several hours and returning by moonlight. The trip was much enjoyed.

S. H. Woodbury & Co., who have the contract to build the Chamberlain street sewer extension, have the job well along and it will probably be finished this week. Abutters will enter the sewer at once.

Mr. Walter Mills, who had his canoe stolen by some boys Wednesday afternoon, made a long run down the river in search of the stolen property and returned only to find the boys and the canoe near the toll bridge.

At a special meeting of the city council Thursday evening S. E. Stone and G. W. Brimmer were drawn as grand jurors, and B. W. Palmer and P. B. Dole as petit jurors for the United States district court at Bath the coming term.

There was a pleasant occasion at the home of Mrs. A. H. Thayer Wednesday evening when a number of friends gathered at her residence Wednesday evening for the purpose of celebrating the 75th birthday of her father, Mr. J. C. Craig, of Philadelphia, who is visiting here. The evening was passed in a very pleasant manner.

CUBAN INSURRECTION.

Much Hatred for Americans in Havana.

Key West, Fla., Aug. 20. Among the passengers on the Mascotte to-night was Arturo Elvarez, a member of the ast expedition of the Three Friend. He reports that only seven members of the expedition have been killed to date and fire made prisoners. The others, about 40, with all the ammunition, are with Gen. Aguierre, near Havana.

He says that there is much hatred expressed of the Americans in and around Havana and he is informed that orders have been given to kill any Cuban caught who claims American citizenship. He also claims to have witnessed the killing of young Govin, who was first securely bound and then hacked to pieces.

He reports a battle on the 17th near Guanabacoa, between Gen Aguierre and three thousand Spaniards under the command of Gen. Ocos, the murderer of young Govin. The Spaniards, he says, lost 72 killed.

Our Women Getting Taller.

There are indications that the American woman is gradually growing taller and larger. A few years ago the average skirt length taken in the fashionable dressmaking establishments was 42 inches, and 43 inches was the length used for all the model gowns sent over here from Paris. This model length has now increased to 49 inches, and the increase in other measurements is in proportion.

The middle aged American woman shows an inclination to grow broader across the hips and shoulders and stouter and thicker through the arms, but the college graduate, the university woman and the debutante grows more and more slender every year. The typical college graduate is from two to four inches longer from the waist down than formerly. Her waist is getting longer her chest fuller, and her limbs narrower. The middle aged women grow corpulent and clumsy through indolence and indulgent habits of life, while the ever increasing tendency toward athletic sports and outdoor exercises is improving the younger of the sex. The statesquine, June type not only expresses the American woman.—New York Tribune.

Boarding School Candy.

The girls of the eastern and eastern colleges have a novel method of candy making, which deserves to be known outside their magic circle, especially as the results are pronounced delicious.

They take a sheet of heavy glazed writing paper and turn up the four edges to a depth of about three-fourths of an inch. Into this box they pour a cupful of white sugar and a very little water and set it on top of the stove. One would think the sugar would burn, but it does not. The sugar boils up charmingly and looks tempting enough in its dainty receptacle.

When it is nicely done, a drop or two of flavoring are added, or just before taking from the fire some nut meats are strewn over its surface. It is then taken off the stove and set to cool in its paper box in a pan or basin of cold water. When cold, it should be brittle, and then the paper can be peeled off and a dainty square of toothsome candy is the reward.

It is great fun to make it and will surprise your friends if they chance to see it boiling in its paper box.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Etiquette of Tea Pouring.

Few hostesses understand the art of pouring tea and coffee, simple as it appears. As a rule, the guest of honor is offered the first cup, which is the most difficult of children, if served at all, are given the last and strongest. When it is desirable to have all the cups of uniform strength, one should pour a little into each and then begin over again, reversing the order. In England this is so well understood that a pourer of tea or coffee does not begin to replenish the cups till all are before her. The mother of the nineteenth century has brought up her daughters to match some other mother's sons. The mother of the twentieth century will have to bring up her sons to match some other woman's daughters. This is necessary to Georgiana Eliot's oft quoted theory that "God Almighty made the women to match the men."

Remedy For Red Noses.

Red noses, says Diana De Mercy, are certainly most inelegant, and how to remedy such an affliction comes within the power of all those who suffer from this disfigurement. Let the red nosed girl abstain from spices and from all stimulants, even tea and coffee. Let her take frequent exercise, dressed in loose clothes, and simply cooked food; with an abundance of fruit and vegetables. Tight lacing, tight shoes—anything which impedes the circulation—will produce red noses. The following wash, which is the formula of the boarding house specialist, Hillaire, may be reserved specially for the red nose: Distilled rosewater, 4 ounces; spirits of camphor, 2 drachms; precipitate of sulphur, 10 grains; powder, 30 grains; benzoin gum, pulverized, 5 grains.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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They Met in Convention at Portland on Thursday.

Portland, Aug. 20.—The Maine gold Democrats this afternoon held mass convention in Congress Hall to choose 22 delegates to the Indianapolis convention and to nominate six electors to vote for candidate for President to be nominated at Indianapolis. At this convention today there will be no nomination for governor, for Hon. W. H. Clifford was asked for that office by committee of bolters from the Waterville state convention. Convention today was called for 1.30 p. m. but the time of beginning was considerable later. At 1.15 there were only 25 men in the hall and four ladies who came from Brunswick to help along the honest money cause, as they said. At 1.30 more had come in and at that hour about 75 were present. Mr. C. Vey Holman, who has charge of the preliminary arrangements and is kept busy looking after affairs in general.

A band of musicians stationed on the sidewalk in front of the hall and played for half an hour before the opening bell in a large attendance. When the time for calling the convention to order arrived the hall was pretty well filled. Just before the convention began the band entered the hall and took seats on the platform. Col Pellows, of New York, Hon. Harry P. N. Shepard, Boston, Edward C. Jordan, H. W. Swazey, W. H. Clifford, W. H. Stevens of Portland, and scores of others took seats.

C. Vey Holman, of Sec. Thomaston, called the assemblage to order and delivered a speech several minutes long. The address was very radical and the strongest passages were greeted with applause.

"We are here to rebuke falsity and condemn the iniquities of the Chicago convention," said Mr. Holman, "and we can afford to take part here today, who does not thoroughly denounce these declarations." Mr. Holman delivered a touching eulogy on the late William E. Russell and quoted his last public utterances which were delivered at Chicago.

Secretary W. H. Gardiner read the call for the Indianapolis convention and then the call for this meeting was read.

Chairman Holman read a telegram of encouragement from Hon. Wm. D. Bynum of Indianapolis and a letter was also read from ex-Senator Bradbury of Augusta.

Henry W. Swazey, Portland, was made permanent chairman. His remarks were brief and to the point. John O. Rice of Portland and Fred H. Wiggin of Saco were chosen secretaries. A committee on resolutions was appointed with C. J. Chas. H. Osgood, of Lewiston, as chairman. The hand then played a selection and the committee to select delegates to Indianapolis was chosen with Wm. H. Moulton, Portland, as chairman. A committee to nominate six candidates for electors was chosen with F. R. Wiggin of Saco, as chairman.

Col. Osgood reported the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:

"We, as the representative national Democracy of Maine, in convention assembled, unqualifiedly endorse the action of the provisional national committee assembled in Indianapolis, Aug. 7, in summoning honest and loyal Democrats of this country to meet in national convention in that state Sept. 2 for the purpose of enunciating a straightforward declaration of genuine Democratic principles and of nominating a Democratic Presidential ticket.

"We absolutely repudiate and denounce the Populistic schedules known as the Chicago convention and everything emanating therefrom. We ratify and endorse the financial plank adopted at the Maine Democratic convention at Portland June 17, and reaffirm their belief in necessity of maintaining the existing gold standard of value in our national currency.

"We reaffirm our allegiance to the upright, true and time honored doctrine of Democracy as taught by the fathers of the republic and interpreted by their worthy successors. We denounce protection for protection's sake as a mischievous misuse of the function of government of levying class legislation for the benefit of the minority manufacturing oligarchy at the expense of the majority of the wage earning consumers. We assert the inalienable right of consumers to purchase products of the earth and of manufacture at the lowest price comparable with honest remuneration of labor without the intervention of trusts and combinations and to pay market subject to the burden of such taxation as is necessary for support of the proper administration of government.

"We command the honesty, economy, courage and fidelity of the present Democratic federal administration and admire the intelligence and steady patriotism with which it has encountered and surmounted the heavy legacy of blunders, embarrassment of and costly errors of future of determined opposition of plundering section of the nominal supporters. We confirm the divinatous action of thousand honest Democrats, who withdrew from the recent Waterville convention and pledge our support at the polls to William Henry Clifford for governor of Maine.

STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS

But Slight Hopes of Rector's Recovery.

Malden, Mass., Aug. 20.—A telegram has been received this afternoon stating that Rev. Michael F. Flatley, rector of Immaculate Conception church, in this city, has been stricken with paralysis at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., and there are but slight hopes of recovery. He is one of the best known clergymen in the state.

ALL ARRANGED.

Mr. Bryan Announces New Programme.

Upper Red Hook, N. Y., Aug. 20.—Mr. Bryan gave another itinerary this morning. It contains a programme of his intended movements from Erie to Lincoln and was dictated in this way to the candidate: "I will leave Erie for Buffalo on Thursday, Aug. 27, where I will speak in the evening. From Buffalo, I will go to Medina where I will speak Friday afternoon; then to Niagara Falls, where I will spend the evening.

"I will leave Niagara Falls on Saturday morning for Rochester, where I will speak in the afternoon, thence to Jamestown, in the evening, going to Chautauqua on Sunday. On Monday morning I will leave Chautauqua for Cleveland, speaking there in the evening of Monday the 31st. From there I will go to Columbus, Ohio, where I will speak in the evening of Sept. 1, thence to Toledo, where I will speak in the evening of the second, thence to South Bend, Ind., where I will speak on the evening of the third.

"I will spend the fourth in Chicago at the Democratic National headquarters and will go to Nebraska over the Burlington route arriving at Lincoln on the 5th. I will not stop at any point between Chicago and Lincoln."

MORTUARY.

Joseph E. Brown, Well Known Playwright.

Beverly, Mass., Aug. 20. Joseph E. Brown (Moses Suinner), the well known playwright, formerly engaged in business in Boston, died in the Danvers insane hospital Wednesday, after a four years' illness. He became widely known to the literary world through his connection with Sol Smith Russell, for whom he wrote "Edgewood Folks" and numerous short humorous sketches. He leaves a widow and four children and a brother, George F. Brown, from whose house the funeral was held to-day.

THE COACHING PARADE.

All Previous Affairs Eclipsed at Lancaster.

Lancaster, N. H., Aug. 20. Fine weather favored the occasion of the second annual coaching parade of the North Side to-day. Visitors came from Portland, Concord, Burlington, Sherbrooke and all intermediate stations by special trains, by teams from neighboring towns and villages, by bicycles and on foot and numbered many thousands. All public buildings were in gala dress and many private residences prettily decorated. Today's parade surpassed all previous affairs of the kind.

PLEADED GUILTY.

Man Arraigned on Charge of Forgery.

Brockton, Mass., Aug. 20.—John W. Burnham was arraigned in the police court today on charge of forgery of the signature of his employers, Packard & Field, shoe manufacturers, as the indorsement to a check for $282. He pleaded guilty and was held for the grand jury. Burnham was employed as an assistant bookkeeper, and the forgery is alleged to have been made on or about June 15.

LOSS NEARLY TOTAL.

Small Steamer Burned at Rangeley Lake Yesterday Afternoon.

Rangeley, Me., Aug. 20. The small steamer Iroquois, on Rangeley Lake, was burned this morning at three o'clock. The loss is nearly total and is estimated at $2,000, partly insured. Cause unknown.

Mr. Fisher, as stateroom on the Iroquois, was burned to death and some others had narrow escapes from the flames. The Iroquois was a small steamer and was used for pleasure parties.

SOUND MONEY DEMOCRATS.

ENCOUNTER WITH BURGLARS.

Storekeeper and One Burglar Fatally Wounded.

Bedford Station, N. Y., Aug. 20.—About 1 o'clock this morning, Walter B. Adams was awakened by the ringing of a burglar alarm in his house, which indicated that his store, 200 yards away, had been broken into. He and his son William and two neighbors went to the store and found four men in the building. Young Adams, who was armed, commanded the burglars to throw up their hands but they responded with shot.

Young Adams replied with his Winchester and two of the burglars dropped, one shot through the body and the other in the hips; a third was shot through the arm.

In the meantime, Mr. Adams, senior, had grappled with the fourth burglar and in the struggle the man got one of his arms free and pulling a revolver shot Mr. Adams in the temple, mortally wounding him. In the excitement the man who shot Adams and the one who was shot in the arm escaped. The others were captured.

MANY NARROW ESCAPES.

Fire in Van Wert County Infirmary.

Van Wert, Ohio, Aug. 20.—Fire destroyed the Van Wert County Infirmary yesterday. There was a panic among the patients. Thirty inmates barely escaped with their lives and in their night clothes. Two were badly burned, an old woman had both arms broken and half a dozen suffered slight injuries. Most of the inmates are crippled, a rescue whom it was necessary to carry them bodily into the street. Loss, $10,000.

IMPORTING GOLD.

President Tappan Thinks There Is No Need of Concerted Action.

New York, Aug. 20.—President Tappan of the Gallatin National bank and President Simmons of the Fourth National bank, who have been in consultation with regard to the matter of asking the impression of gold have decided that the situation does not call for the necessity of concerted action by the banks, for the present, at least. There is a rumor that arrangements are under way by a large commercial house for importing $3,000,000 more gold.

SILVER AGITATION

Causes Shut Down of American Watch Co's Works.

Waltham, Mass., Aug. 20. The American Watch Co. posted a notice at the factory this morning announcing that the factory would close to night and not reopen until Sept. 1. President Fitch stated that the shut down is due entirely to the present agitation of the silver question.

A similar notice was posted at the Boston Manufacturing Co., only the time of the shut down here was extended to Sept. 28. Supt. Bailey said that the business depression was so great that the company could not possibly continue business until there was some change for the better.

Convention Despatches.

Prof. Josiah Dwight Whitney, of Harvard University, died at New London, N. H., Wednesday afternoon, aged 77. He had been in poor health and went there for a rest. He had been Sturgis Hooper professor of geology and mineralogy at Harvard since 1865.

A statement has been issued by the comptroller of the currency, showing the condition of 3,675 national banks at the close of business July 14, as compared with May 7, the date of the last previous examination. In July the total resources of the banks were $3,333,797,075, as against $3,377,013,823 in May.

For the first time in over twenty years, Auctioneers Wilmerding, Morris and Mitchell, of New York, sold at auction Wednesday over 1,000 cases of Washington prints. There were but 1 090 cases catalogued but bidding was so brisk that an additional 1,600 was put up and were quickly disposed of. Most of the goods went to the South, although some went to the West. Prices were almost as good as if the goods were disposed of at private sale. The cause of the sale was said to be the general poor times in trade. The rapid disposition of the goods, however, might be attributed to a return of confidence in the business of the future.

Chas. F. Kittredge, aged 57, of Fishkill on the Hudson, while on a visit to Mount Vernon to take part in the Alumni reunion gathering of Colby Institute, died very suddenly Wednesday. He made the principal address and upon returning to his chair suddenly collapsed and fell to the floor causing great excitement in the audience. In a few minutes he expired on the platform.

A small aland riot occurred at the Ames Plow Company's Shoe Factory, at Lynn, Mass., Wednesday afternoon. Wm. J. Whitten, of Haverhill, a nonunion laster, was entering the factory when he was struck by the disapproval of the crowd that had gathered at the entrance and quite severely pummeled. He drew a revolver and fired point blank at one of his assailants, Chas. O. Barlow, inflicting a wound in the thigh. When Barlow and a companion named George Pierson, went for medical assistance, the police were notified and the two men were arrested for assault on Whitten. The latter has not yet been arrested.

The Honolulu Gazette has some severe editorials upon the cruel treatment which has been accorded Kate Field by the people of the United States. Since the announcement of her death, it says, but three letters have been received in regard to her and suggesting a final disposal of her remains. "Two of those letters were from relatives and the third from a dear friend, Miss Lillian Whiting, of Boston. The proprietor and manager of the newspaper by which she was employed have sent no written word in regard to her.

The sentiment in the Hawaiian Islands in regard to annexation to the United States is growing more and more constantly. The canvass for the Presidency of the United States is eagerly watched, the Hawaiian plan in the Republican platform giving hope for the election of McKinley and the carrying out of Harrison's annexation policy. There is a strong feeling, in the event of failure of annexation to the United States, that a tender of the islands should be made to Great Britain.

All banks doing business in Newfoundland refuse to accept American silver coin under any circumstances, and demand five per cent. discount on American paper. The policy holders of American life insurance companies are starting an agitation demanding that the policies be endorsed as payable in gold.

At the afternoon session of the State Democratic convention at Fort Worth, Texas, Wednesday, C. A. Culberson was nominated for Governor. The platform adopted reiterates the action of the Chicago convention. There was no manifest disposition to share electors with the Populists.

Charles C. Rounds, principal of the State Normal School at Plymouth, N. H., has sent his resignation to Governor Busiel, and asks that it be accepted at once. It is Mr. Rounds' intention to enter wider educational fields. He has been principal of the school 13 years.

The British colonial office is said to be on the point of making a decision respecting the West Indian cable to avoid its present dependence upon the United States and Cuban lines. The West Indies and Panama Company propose an extension from Jamaica northward to Bermuda to meet the Halifax and Bermuda cable and thence to England. The Halifax and Bermuda company proposes an extension south to Jamaica and ultimately to Trinidad and British Guiana. The West Indies Government urges the colonial office to accept the Halifax-Bermuda tender, which is probably will do.

Hon. Hilary A. Herbert, United States Secretary of the Navy, with his daughter, arrived at Southampton Wednesday, on board the American line steamer St. Louis.

Ex-Congressman Hanson W. Dunham, of Chicago, died Wednesday night, of apoplexy in Portland, Ore.

A despatch from Athens says the insurgents in Macedonia have burned two villages in the Kosica district, and massacred eight Christians.

Secretary Carlisle returned to Washington late Wednesday afternoon, much sooner than he expected. He will go to Cape Ann, Massachusetts Bay, again this afternoon.

City Marshal Von Salzbach, of Newburgh, N. Y., has received a telegram from Chief of Police Kelly, of Chicago, asking for the arrest of Thomas Ryan, who is wanted in Chicago on a charge of robbing a man of his watch and money. Ryan is a well known character in Newburgh.

MAINE MELANGE.

A Farmer Fearfully Injured and Trampled Upon by a Colt.

Narrow Escape from Drowning While Wading near Biddeford.

Hancock.

The annual election of the Kebo Valley Club was held at Bar Harbor Wednesday and re-elected the old officers viz: James A. Garland, of New York, president; Dr. E. A. Smith, of Philadelphia, treasurer, and Dr. Amory, of Boston, clerk. The first mid-week dinner and dance was held at the Kebo Wednesday night and a large number attended. Waldron Bates, of Boston, entertained eighteen at dinner. Mr. Allison, of Washington, and Miss Biddle, of Philadelphia, entertained large parties.

Yacht Puritan sailed for Campobello from Bar Harbor Wednesday and the Susquehanna for Portland. Yacht Atalanta arrived Thursday, also a portion of the eastern fleet.

Knox.

The annual reunion of the Second Maine Veteran Cavalry association was held at Rockland Wednesday, about 60 veterans attending. A business meeting was held in the forenoon, and the afternoon was devoted to sightseeing and the evening to a banquet and campfire at G. A. R. Hall. The historian reported four deaths during the past year. It was voted to hold the reunion next year at Waterville. The following officers were elected: President, Henry D. Moore, Philadelphia; Vice Presidents, Col. William J. Gillespie, Boston, C. E. Crowell, Lewiston, James L. Barnes, Washington; Secretary and Treasurer, George R. Smith, Augusta; Historian, S. C. Small, Boston.

Lincoln.

The ball game between the theatrical team and Boothbay Harbor Wednesday was won by the latter, fourteen to nine.

Oxford.

The St. Kieran Catholic society of Berlin, N. H., had an excursion to Norway Wednesday and in connection with Norway and Paris held an athletic field meet on the fair grounds. The half mile bicycle race was won by Ned Cross, of Norway. Time, 1.27. The novice mile bicycle race was won by Arthur Marcou, of Berlin. Time, 2.54. The amateur bicycle race was won by C. E. Pike, of Norway. Time, 1.05. The 440 yards dash was won by Eric McCann, of Berlin. Time, 1.05. The 100 yards dash was won by F. A. Stearns, of Norway. Time, 12 seconds.

York.

John Ham, a farmer of North Kennebunkport, was carefully injured and trampled upon by a colt in his stable Wednesday night and died at midnight. He leaves a wife and two children.

Mrs. Mabel E. Grace, of North Saco, aged 70, was critically burned Wednesday while lighting the kitchen fire with kerosene oil. It is feared she cannot recover.

Charles Barker and daughter, of Providence, who are occupying a cottage near Biddeford, narrowly escaped drowning Tuesday afternoon. While wading in far out Mr. Barker stepped into a deep hole. As he sank he grasped his daughter's clothing, but she escaped from his grasp. A rescuer early brought them ashore and worked over Mr. Barker nearly an hour before restoring him to consciousness.

Financial Definitions.

In response to many inquiries as to the meaning of expressions commonly used in the discussion of issues involved in this campaign, the New York Press has prepared the following brief table of terms and equivalents:

Free Coinage.

The melting and stamping into money, without charge for the service, of all silver bullion brought to the mints.

Sixteen to One.

The ratio sought to be maintained by law, according to which sixteen ounces of silver shall equal in value one ounce of gold.

Commercial Ratio.

The ratio of actual value, the rate at which gold and silver can be exchanged. It is now thirty-one ounces of silver to one of gold.

Sound Money.

A currency of which every dollar is exchangeable at par with the standard dollar of the country—in this country a gold dollar.

The Gold Standard.

The measure of value adopted by the leading nations of the world as a basis for their currency—the coin (gold) in which all obligations are finally redeemable.

A Fifty-Cent Dollar.

One which, owing to the depreciation of silver, is intrinsically worth only this amount, and maintains its face value only by reason of the Government's pledge to keep it at a parity with gold.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi weekly by the Grocers' Association.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 19.

STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 56 pounds, and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping, is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets, rutabagas, in sacks and bags, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, parsnips, 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds or even measure as by accrement.

Country Produce.

BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, ⅌ bush	1.40@1.50
Pea, hand picked, ⅌ bush	1.60@1.75
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, ⅌ lb	18c
Fair to good	16@17c
CHEESE—	
Best factory, ⅌ lb (new)	10@11c
Best Dairy, ⅌ lb (new)	10c
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice sliced, ⅌ lb	4@5c
Choice sliced	7@8c
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ⅌ doz	13@15c
HAY—	
Best loose, ⅌ ton	$15 00
PEAS—	
Improved, ⅌ bush	2.25
Best Canada, whole	1.10@1.25
POTATOES—	
New, ⅌ bu	50@60
POULTRY—	
Chickens, Spring, ⅌ lb	18@20c
Fowls	09@10c
ONIONS—	
⅌ Barrel	1.75@2.00

Retail Prices Current.

SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, ⅌ box	30c
English butter, 56 lb sacks, ⅌ bag	25c
In 5 lb bags	35c
Table, ⅌ box	20c
Turks Island	20c
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, ⅌ box	20c
HAY—	
Loose Muscatels, ⅌ lb	17@20c
London layers	1.25@50c
Valencias	15@18c
CURRANTS—	
Cleaned	10@13c
KEROSENE OIL—	
150 test, ⅌ gallon	
100 test	12c
FISH—	
Pure cider, ⅌ gallon	20@25c
Pure W. W.	30c
OATS—	32c
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Wheat, ⅌ barrel	4.25@5.00
Best St. Louis	4.50@4.75
Good family	4.00@4.50
CORN—	45c
CORN MEAL—	40c
⅌ lb in bulk	
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs	1.20
SHORTS—	
St. Louis bran, in sacks	87
Spring Wheat, in sacks	90
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, in bulk	95
Coarse	90
GLUTEN MEAL—	1.00
FEED FLOUR—	90c
WHEAT—	70c
Feed—Cracked corn, ⅌ cwt, etc.	
OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, ⅌ lb	5c
Best British	4c
Best Canada	4c
⅌ 7 lb Jack	25c
GRAHAM FLOUR—	
⅌ 7 lb Jack	25c
GRAHAM FLOUR—	
⅌ lb	5c
CORNMEAL—	
Granulated, ⅌ lb	5c
Best Yellow	5c
PORK—	
Mess, clear, ⅌ lb	8c
Mess	8c
Extra clear	9c
Salt fresh shoulders, ⅌ lb	6c
Salt fresh hams, ⅌ lb	8c
Salt pickled tongues, ⅌ lb	1c

THE CAMPAIGN.

Assignment of the Republican Speakers in This District.

Hon. C. A. BOUTELLE
Will speak at
Houlton, Saturday, Aug. 22.
Sangerville, Wednesday, Aug. 26.
Atkinson, Thursday, Aug. 27.
Ashland, Monday, Aug. 31.
Island Falls, Tuesday, Sept. 1.
Blaine, Thursday, Sept. 3.
Caribou, Friday, Sept. 4.
Millinocket, Monday Sept. 7.
Jonesport, Tuesday, Sept. 8.
Lubec, Wednesday, Sept. 9.
Calais, Thursday, Sept. 10.
Dover, Saturday, Sept. 12.
Eddington, Monday, Sept. 24.
Charleston, Tuesday, Sept. 25.

Hon. LLEWELLYN POWERS,
Of Houlton,
will speak at
Milbridge, Friday, Aug. 21.
Pittsfield, Saturday, Aug. 22.
Bath, Monday, Aug. 24.
Whitinge, Tuesday, Aug. 25.
Augusta, Wednesday, Aug. 26.
Lewis Center, Thursday P. M., Aug. 27.
Livermore Falls, Thursday evening, Aug. 27.
Turner, Friday P. M., Aug. 28.
Lisbon Falls, Friday evening, Aug. 28.
Rockland, Saturday, Aug. 29.
Warren, Monday, Aug. 31.
North Berwick, Thursday, Sept. 3.
Maplewood, Friday, Sept. 4.
Liberty, Saturday, Sept. 5.
Burnham, Monday, Sept. 7.
Houlton, Saturday, Sept. 12.

Hon. S. W. MATTHEWS
will speak at
Plymouth, Wednesday Sept. 2.
Newburgh, Thursday, Sept. 3.
Enfield, Friday, Sept. 4.
Lee, Saturday, Sept. 5.

Hon. WILLIS E. PARSONS
will speak at
Sangerville, Aug. 26.
Sebec Village, Aug. 27.
Willimantic, Aug. 28.
Greenville, Aug. 29.
Monson, Aug. 31.
Parkman, Sept. 1.
Brownville, Sept. 2.

Hon. LEE FAIRCHILD,
Of California.
will speak at
Exeter, Monday, Aug. 31, 1896.
Bradley, Tuesday, Sept. 1.

Hon. WARNER MILLER,
Of New York.
will speak at
Bangor, Wednesday, Sept. 2.
Orono, Thursday, Sept. 3.

Gen. OLIVER O. HOWARD
will speak at
Bangor, Wednesday, Sept. 2.

Hon. HENRY CABOT LODGE
will speak at
Orono, Thursday, Aug. 27.

Hon. WILLIAM P. FRYE
will speak at
Dexter, Monday, Sept. 7.

Hon. WM. ALDEN SMITH,
Of Michigan.
will speak at
Hampden, Monday, Sept. 7.
Lincoln, Tuesday Sept. 8.

Col. CLARK E. CARR,
Of Illinois.
will speak at
Newport, Tuesday, Sept. 1.
Corinth, Wednesday, Sept. 2.
Bradford, Thursday, Sept. 3.

Prof. HENRY C. EMERY,
Of Brunswick.
will speak at
Vanceboro, Monday, Aug. 24.
Calais, Tuesday, Aug. 25.
Red Beach, Wednesday, Aug. 26.
Princeton, Thursday, Aug. 27.
Topsfield, Friday Aug. 28.

Hon. EUGENE HALE
Of Ellsworth.
will speak at
Oldtown, Saturday, Aug. 22.
Hallowell, Tuesday, Sept. 1.
Guilford, Wednesday, Sept. 2.
East Fairfield, Thursday, Sept. 3.
Honiton, Friday, Sept. 4.
Princeton, Saturday P.M., Sept. 5.
Pembroke, Monday P. M., Sept. 7.
Machias, Tuesday, Sept. 8.

Hon. CHARLES EMORY SMITH,
Of Philadelphia.
will speak at
Brewer, Thursday, Aug. 27.
Presque Isle, Friday, Aug. 28.
Houlton, Saturday, Aug. 29.

Hon. JAMES S. SHERMAN,
Of New York.
will speak at
Dixmont, Thursday, Sept. 10.
Kenduskeag, Friday, Sept. 11.
Milford, Saturday, Sept. 12.

Hon. W. R. PATTANGALL
will speak at
Machias, Aug. 20, with Hon. Llewellyn Powers.
Milbridge, Aug. 21.
Steuben, Aug. 22.
Harrington, Aug. 24.
Addison, Aug. 25.
Indian River, Aug. 26.
Jonesport, Aug. 27.
Columbia, Aug. 28.
Columbia Falls, Aug. 29.
Jonesport, Aug. 31.
Roque Bluffs, Sept. 1.
Milbridge, Sept. 2.
Cutler, Sept. 3.
Whitneyville, Sept. 7.
Wesley, Sept. 8.
Northfield, Sept. 10.
Buck's Harbor, Sept. 11.
Machiasport, Sept. 12.

Hon. W. H. MOODY,
Of Massachusetts,
will speak at
Abbott, Wednesday, Sept. 9.

Hon. V. B. DOLLIVER,
Of Iowa,
will speak at
Hermon, Monday, Aug. 24.
Springfield, Tuesday, Aug. 25.
Winn, Wednesday, Aug. 26.
Sebec Village, Aug. 27.
Willimantic, Friday, Aug. 28.
Greenville, Saturday, Aug. 29.
Island Falls, Monday, Aug. 31.
Easton, Tuesday, Sept. 1.
Washburn, Wednesday, Sept. 2.
Eastport, Thursday, Sept. 3.
Machias, Friday, Sept. 4.
Milbridge, Saturday, Sept. 5.

Col. J. R. G. PITKIN,
Of Louisiana,
will speak at
Pasadumkeag, Tuesday, Sept. 8.
Lagrange, Wednesday, Sept. 9.
Charleston, Thursday, Sept. 10.

Gen. CHAS. H. GROSVENOR,
Of Ohio,
will speak at
Ross Camp Ground, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 8th.

Hon. JOHN S. WISE,
Of New York.
will speak at
Ross Camp Ground, Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 8th.

Col. STANLEY PLUMMER
will speak at
Charleston, Friday, September 25.

STATEMENT DENIED.

San Diego Has Not Been Selected as Terminus of Japanese Line.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—H. Kabayske, confidential secretary to President Asano of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha steamship line, denies the statement that San Diego, Cal., has been definitely settled on as the terminus of the line. President Asano himself has gone to New York and Mr. Kabayske left this morning. Mr. Kabayske says:

"A certain gentleman has made promises on behalf of the citizens of San Diego, and if these promises are fulfilled the line will certainly go to that point. But whether the people of San Diego can do so is another question. The citizens have given us to understand that they will do all that is possible to fulfill the promises made, but it must be done before September 1, and in the meantime we are sending our agents there to see what can be done. Of course these promises are not in writing.

CITY AND VICINITY.

The annual meeting of the Washington Baptist Association will be held at Cherryfield, Aug. 26 and 27, that of Lincoln Baptists at Rockport, Sept. 8, and that of Aroostook Baptists at Washburn, Aug. 25 26.

At the last parish meeting of the Catholic Mission of Dover and Foxcroft measures were taken toward the building of a church. Father Houlihan presented the matter and $625 were pledged toward the building.

The People's Baptist church of Dover and Foxcroft unanimously voted not to accept the resignation of their pastor, Rev. H. B. Mitchell, but Mr. Mitchell positively declines to withdraw his resignation and will leave the parish October 1st.

The boys are making up large swimming parties to the river these warm August days and sometimes we fear are taking foolhardy chances. Keep away from the deep places, boys. You can have just as much sport where the water isn't over your head.

Preserved peaches will doubtless be plenty this winter. Some fairly good peaches have already been sold here at 50 cents a basket, and it is expected that still better ones will be sold about as low. Home preserved peaches are about as good as any preserved fruit can be, wherein they differ from the common canned peaches of commerce, and the people who like them prefer to do their own canning.

Rev. John F. Clothey, formerly of Bangor, but now pastor of the Second Advent church in New Bedford, who tendered his resignation last May, to take effect the first Sunday in August, has announced to his congregation that the Whaling city, that he had decided to remain there as long as his flock desired. Mr. Clothey is all undoubtedly continue his pastorate for some time to come.

There has recently been placed in a Caribou cemetery a rather remarkable monument. It is a beautiful shaft of red granite taken from the farm of Mr. John Harmon, of that town. The base, which is of sandstone, was also found near there. The work of cutting and polishing was done entirely at home. As a work of art it shows much skill and ingenuity in taking the boulder from the field and transforming it into a monument as beautiful as any that are sent out from large stone cutting manufactories.

Labor Commissioner Mathews has recently received returns from the agent of three large tanneries in the State in which he says: "Have just received instructions to stop working hides at our three tanneries for sixty days at least. The free silver agitation is the principal cause and is likely to spoil the business of a year that has survived the business depression of the past three years." One of the agents of the industrial department has sent in to the commissioner 100 returns of manufacturers for tabulation in the next report. The same agent is now at work at Lewiston and Auburn.

A traveling man well known throughout the State is just now suffering painfully from the effects of his own carelessness. He is employed by a large concern and the other evening returned to his room in a hotel rather early with the intention of writing some letters. He wrote one to the manager of his house and another to his best girl. When he returned from his trip the manager said to him that though he had been an employe of the house for some time he did not think that the fact warranted his taking the liberty which he assumed. Of course the traveling man was displeased and after expressing his regret that anything had occurred which intended to bear the pleasant relations which had theretofore existed between them, pleaded ignorance of the situation. "Well," said the manager, "I am not accustomed to have my own address their letters to me 'My

REAL ESTATE

FOR RENT—Best located hall in the city. Modern improvements. For particulars address F. A. JORDAN, 7 Clark St., City. jy28 1m

FOR RENT—A furnished cottage of 8 rooms at Hancock Point, most beautiful location at this charming summer resort. Apply to A. M. MASON, City Hall Building. jn19

FOR RENT—Rooms in the Grand Central Block. All new and clean. Suitable for office or business. Gas, water, and every convenience. Suites or single. Apply to LEMUEL NICHOLS, Grand Central Stables. jn3 tf comcopy.

FOR RENT—Two-story brick house, No. 175 Cedar street, between Fifth and Sixth streets; nine rooms; heated by furnace and hot water; bath room. Apply to CHAS. HAMLIN, No. 23 Fifth street. jn15

FOR RENT—Brick store No. 175 Broad St. corner Independent, formerly occupied by D. Andrews & Co. Apply to CHARLES H. BARTLETT. apr28 tf

FOR SALE. House lots on Olbo, Highland, Jackson, Montgomery, Leighton, Fountain, Norfolk and Grant streets. M. Lincoln, 44 Exchange St. tf mch20

Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc.

Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost found, to let, etc., not exceeding four lines, 10 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid regular advertising rates will be charged.

WANTED—First class vegetable cook for the best hotel in the State of Maine. Call immediately at HOTEL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 189 Exchange St. 1t

HOTEL HELP WANTED—25 table girls for fair week, $1 to $1.50 per day. 10 table girls for first class year around hotels, also pastry cooks, dish, kitchen, laundry and table help. Girls for private families and cottages at the sea shore, wages $3 to $5 per week. Apply at Maine Hotel Agency, 90 Main St. Established 16 years. aug20 2t

WANTED—Thirty girls to call at once and register for all kinds of hotel or restaurant work fair week. First class table and chamber needed now. Hotel Employment Office, 189 Exchange St. aug19 3t

ENTERTAINMENTS.

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Monday and Tuesday, Aug. 24-25.
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Produced in exactly the same manner as at Hoyt's Theatre, New York, where it had a run of 650 consecutive nights.
ENTIRE NEW MUSICAL PORTION.
Prices, $1.00, 75 cts., 50 cts., 25 cts., 25 cts. Sale opens Friday morning, 21st inst. aug18

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MOST LAUGHABLE SHOW ON EARTH.
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OPERA HOUSE
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WEDNESDAY, AUG. 26.
Mr. Lewis Morrison as "Mephisto"
SUPPORTED BY
Florence Roberts as "Marguerite,"
Edward Elsner as "Faust,"
—AND—
White Whitlesey as "Valentine."
In his famous Dramatic, Scenic, and Electric Production of
-FAUST-
A performance celebrated throughout the entire English-speaking world.
Prices, $1.00, 75, 50, 35, 25 cts. Sale opens Monday, 24th inst. aug21

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CARD.
I shall be out of town from Saturday noon to Monday noon during the summer. The rest of the time can be found at my office, 242 State Street.
DR. JAMES F. SMITH.
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Notice of Foreclosure.
Whereas, George F. Archer, Jr., of Clifton, in the County of Penobscot, by his mortgage deed dated June 1, 1894, acknowledged August 22, 1894, and recorded in Penobscot Registry of Deeds, Vol. 642, page 299, conveyed to the undersigned, Erin W. Kneeland, in fee and in mortgage the following described real estate, to wit: Two certain lots or parcels of land situated in the town of Clifton aforesaid, together with a house and buildings thereon, the first parcel being the same conveyed to said Archer by Esther Penney, by deed dated September 17, 1888, and recorded in said Registry, Vol. 575, page 512; second parcel being lots No. 36 and No. 37, Herrick's plan, in said Clifton, the same conveyed to said Archer by Benjamin Penney by deed dated May 8, 1888, and recorded in said Registry, Vol. 559, page 468.
And whereas the condition of said mortgage is broken, I hereby claim a foreclosure of said mortgage and give this notice to foreclose the same.
ERIN W. KNEELAND.
Bangor, Aug. 6, 1896. aug7 w3w

JUST RECEIVED
A NEW LOT OF
Ladies' Gold Filled Watches
At $10, $11 50, $12.50, $15 and $18.
Ladies' Solid Gold
At $15, $16, $18, $20, $25, $30 and $40
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A Large Stock and Low Prices
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LOCAL MATTERS.

A band concert will be given this evening in Center Park.

We are indebted to Mr. S. C. Harlow for a choice lot of nice apples.

The Hamlin Rifles will assemble Saturday at 12.30 p. m. to go to Augusta for muster.

A large party of Bar Harbor cottagers was in the city Thursday on the way to Kineo for a stay.

Landlord William Heughen, of the Silver Lake Hotel, Katahdin Iron Works, and Miss Heughen were in the city Thursday.

The Bangor & Aroostook railroad has issued a new folder presenting the attractions of the hunting and fishing region reached by this road.

Prof. Susan M. Hallowell, of Wellesley College, Mass., a former resident and teacher of this city, is visiting her cousin, Capt. Henry E. Sellers, at No. 293 French street.

The annual reunion of the famous First Maine Heavy artillery will be held at Rockland today. The steamer Sedgwick will take Bangor members to that city in the morning, returning at the close of the reunion.

The Guilford Citizen: "The Blanchard Congregational church has had a very profitable season this summer under the ministrations of Rev. John R. Boardman, so much so that they have extended his pastorate two weeks and have decided to have preaching services two weeks. Mr. Boardman is much liked by his people."

Patrick Shannon, of Portland, a boiler maker, who was here looking for work, met with an accident last evening at the Maine Central yard owing to his own carelessness apparently. He was on one of the side tracks back of Washburn's mills. Some cars were put in on the side track and Shannon being in the way had one hand run over. The police ambulance was called and the man, who is about 25 or 30 years of age, was taken to the hospital.

Mr. William B. Gross is in the city making arrangements for the appearance of the "Shore Acres" company at the Opera House on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings. Mr. James Herne is not with the company which will present this well known drama here, but the leading role, "Uncle Nathaniel Berry," is played by Mr. George W. Wilson, for many years a member of the famous Boston Museum stock company, and who has been starring in "The Old Homestead" for the past two years. Mr. Wilson is supported by a strong company it is said.

Mrs. W. Clark Noble, the New York sculptor, and his business associate, Major Barbour, U. S. A., retired, returned Thursday from Bar Harbor. That town is to have a soldiers' and sailors' monument. Mr. Noble will submit a design for it. The monument will be in bronze and is expected to cost $22,000 or upwards. When the model is ready in Mr. Noble's New York studio, the committee will go there to see it. For the proposed Hamlin monument in this city, Mr. Noble will prepare a model during the fall and intends to have it ready to send to this city for exhibition in November. He proposes to have a figure nine feet in height, probably, which will rest upon a pedestal some 15 feet from the ground. After the preparation of the Hamlin model Mr. Noble will prepare a design for a monument to Mr. Blaine, which is intended for the city of Augusta.

HONEST MONEY DEMOCRATS.

Call for Meeting This Evening for Organization of Club.

Democrats Who Propose to Help Defeat Chicago Nominees.

Believing that it is the only safeguard for both capital and labor to have a sound financial policy, and believing in the time-honored principles of the Democratic party that every dollar earned by honest labor should represent in intrinsic value an honest dollar throughout the commercial world; feeling that not only the best business interests of the country would be injured by a depreciated currency, but that the wage earner would be the first to be injured thereby, we, the undersigned Democrats of the city of Bangor, Penobscot County, State of Maine, pledging ourselves to the great principles of the Democratic party particularly as set forth in the platform adopted in Chicago in 1892, do hereby repudiate the platform and also the nominees of the convention held at Chicago July 7, 1896, ostensibly under the auspices of the Democratic party, and hereby unite ourselves into an organization to be known as The Honest Money Democratic Club of the City of Bangor, and pledge ourselves to do all in our power to defeat the election of the nominees of the Chicago convention held as aforesaid on July 7, 1896.

C C Emerson	John Cassidy
E S Coe	G W Getchell
F H Strickland	Joseph F Snow
Frank Robinson	A C Shepley
John McCann	James D Shaw
M M Hastings	G F Snow
W Maxfield	John Buckley
F H Robinson	Lemuel Nichols
E C Nichols	Thos F Maney
Geo H Orne	Freeland Jones
Fred'k W Hill	F C Plaisted
James McGuire	Patrick C Higgins
Martin Fleming	Isaac Strickland
John Shipton	John S Jenness
C L Snow	Ruel Smith
William Connors	J H Marchio
P F Courney	J F Gerrity
H A Appleton	A B Mooly
J F Angley	F H Gillin
E A Doran	F H Noble
S N Hodgdon	James Conroy
G H Greeley	Philip Frey
Anthony Frey	Peregrine White
John G Frey	L F Kelleher
Wm Shaughnessy	Martin H Daily
Martin Harrigan	

The signers of the above call and as many others as care to join are invited to meet at the Common Council room this (Friday) evening at 7.30 o'clock.

THE TEMPERATURE

Atmospheric Conditions as Shown by Methodical Observations.

The following table gives the weather conditions as shown by the thermometer and barometer at Miller's Pharmacy:

	Barometer.	Thermometer
Aug. 20, 7 A. M.	29.8	69
12 M.	29.8	77
6 P. M.	29.8	70

Base Ball Notes.

Harry Davis is playing a good fielding game for the Pittsburgs, but is rather light at the bat. The fans of that city are beginning to regret the exchange of Beckley for Davis.

The Baltimores are certainly playing in great luck. Two games in Boston and all three in Philadelphia, which ought to have been defeats, were turned into victories by pretty dumb playing by their opponents.

It has been noticed that the pitchers of the league steal but very few bases. The reason probably is that they are of such value to a club that they do not care to take chances of getting injured, as they have received orders not to try the play. The largest number of stolen bases by any pitcher this season is 6, stolen by Mercer, with Nadeau, Staley, [illegible] and Taylor to follow with 5 each. Yet in former seasons [illegible] Taylor, Cuppy, Hawley, Stivetts, Terry, Nichols, Meekin, Sullivan, [illegible] have stolen from 15 to 30 bases in a season. Cuppy and Young were there a dozen to fifteen years ago, and Young is still there. Taylor and Young were there a score to fifteen years ago. Meekin, Sullivan and Terry were there a dozen years ago. Nichols was there a dozen years ago, and Staley, Stivetts and Hawley were there a few years ago. Nadeau is a new man. Mercer was there last year. Taylor, Young and Meekin are the only pitchers who have stolen more than a few bases this season. Young has stolen 4, Taylor 3, Meekin 2. Taylor, Young and Meekin are the only pitchers who have stolen more than a few bases this season. Young has stolen 4, Taylor 3, Meekin 2.

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The Mayor added that he was aware of the discomfiture to the people who live in small houses and who find it hard work to get the ten or fifteen dollars with which to pay their taxes, but I do not know any other way. The best lawyers whom I have consulted tell me that the contractors if refused payment can go to the Court and compel the city to settle the bills incurred. It will be no answer to say that the city failed to make provision for expenses ordered by its representatives. It appears harder, however, if this tax is assessed than it really is. It will be no harder than a supplementary tax such as was levied in Auburn. The taxpayer can pay his regular tax, take a receipt on account and have until December of next year to pay the extra tax if he wants to. Next year taxes will be reduced as there are no extraordinary expenses, thus relieving the burden of this extra tax, if assessed.

Councilman Additon asked if the incidental fund was not overdrawn and if considerable money was due the men for paving on Harlow street. He had so understood from the City Engineer.

The Mayor said the paving appropriation had not been exhausted and did not understand how anything could be due the men. If such was the case it had not been reported to him. The incidental fund has receipts from various sources besides the money appropriated, including back tax received from the State ($14,000) not yet received.

Councilman Additon said some of the employes of the city draw their pay from this fund and I am informed that they have not been paid. I have not investigated the matter; simply took their word.

The Mayor said this was news to him, though it may be true. The appropriation recommended will make the tax $3.25 and the assessors may possibly find it $3.30.

Councilman Additon wanted to know if the contract for the standpipe had been signed, and the Mayor replied that everything had been done but the signing of the paper. The two boards then separated.

The Veto.

After approving a bond of Constable Clark, the Mayor asked if the Clerk had any communication to make to the board. There was a large number of citizens in the room when the question was asked and immediately everyone was alert. The Clerk then read the following veto message:

Bangor, August 17, 1896.

To the City Clerk of the city of Bangor:

The following order which was passed by the city council on the 11th instant, viz: "Ordered, That the City Solicitor be asked for an opinion of the legal standing of the city as it now exists," also, "Can the City Council properly authorize the payment of money from the treasury in excess of the appropriations already made, of indebtedness beyond the constitutional limit is thereby incurred;" "Are the contracts made with Bearce & Clifford and others requiring payments the present year beyond the appropriations already made and which shall increase the indebtedness of the city, legal and binding on the city?" is hereby returned without my approval.

My objections are:

First, it is not for the best interests of the citizens to have the question raised at this time.

Second, no possible good can be done by raising the question at the present time.

Third, if the questions are to be raised at all they should be raised at the commencement of a fiscal year and before plans are matured for a year's work.

Fourth, to raise the questions at this time, if decided against the city, would damage the city to a great extent without any benefit to any one.

F. O. Beal,
Mayor.

Alderman Wescott—Mr. Mayor did you not vote in favor of the order calling for the opinion of the City Solicitor?

The Mayor—I did and now give my reason for the veto.

Alderman Wescott—I am surprised that you should veto an order you voted for.

The Mayor—You needn't be surprised at anything nowadays. To raise this question now is not incumbent upon the city. There is no necessity for it in my opinion.

Alderman Glass—I am surprised that the Mayor should intervene his veto against an order calling for the opinion of the law officer of the city for the information of this board. I move that the City Solicitor be asked for his opinion.

The Mayor—You are out of order.

Alderman Ward—In seconding the motion of the gentleman from ward six, I desire to say that I believe in the work which we are now told is illegal. Property owners, I charge you with cowardice. You may smile, but you have permitted your servants to go ahead without a word of protest until the work is well underway. I have stood by the Mayor, but do not believe in refusing to accept the opinion of the City Solicitor on this matter and second the motion.

The Mayor—The order is not parliamentary. The thing to do is to pass the order over the veto if you so desire. It is immaterial if you do pass the order over the veto.

Alderman Glass—I move to pass the order over the veto and call for the yeas and nays.

The motion was carried and the vote resulted as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Ward, Grant, Wescott, Glass and Adams. Nays—Messrs. Porter and Earle. The order was then sent to the lower board and passed in concurrence after which the opinion of City Solicitor Ryder was read as follows:

Opinion of City Solicitor.

To the Honorable, The City Council:

At a regular meeting of the City Council held August 11, 1896, the following order was passed:

Ordered. That the City Solicitor be asked for an opinion of the legal standing of the city, as it now exists.

Also, can the City Council properly authorize the payment of money from the treasury, in excess of the appropriations already made, if indebtedness beyond the constitutional limit is thereby created.

Are the contracts made with Bearce & Clifford, and others, requiring payment the present year, beyond the appropriations already made and which would increase the indebtedness of the city, legal and binding on the city.

Agreeable to the above order, I have the honor to submit the following opinion:

The first question presented for determination is "the legal standing of the city, as it now exists."

While the meaning of the above language is somewhat indefinite, it is presumed that the City Council intended to ask whether the city had reached that limit of indebtedness, beyond which it is prohibited by the Constitution from incurring any further liability.

Nearly all the States have found it necessary, either by constitutional provisions or by legislative acts, to prevent municipal corporations from incurring indebtedness beyond certain limits, except under certain conditions, which are as various as the constitutional provisions and legislative acts themselves, and the interpretation given by the different courts to the various constitutional provisions and legislative acts are not uniform, and the answers given by the courts to questions arising under the different provisions are by no means harmonious. But upon the question of what constitutes a municipal indebtedness the decisions of the different courts are in substantial accord.

Prior to the Constitution of Maine [illegible] the city or town shall [illegible] any debt or liability exceeding the [illegible] in